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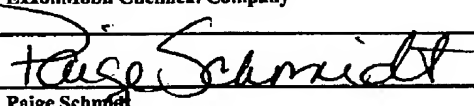
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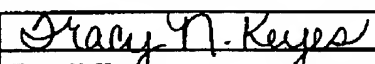
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In response to the Office Action mailed June 24, 2005, Applicants reply as follows.

REMARKS

Claims 1-208 were divided into two groups. Group I claims 1-134 and 170-208 drawn to a laminate and a composite, and Group II, claims 135-169 drawn to a method of making a laminate. Applicants elect Group I, claims 1-134 and 170-208.

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